

# FI Certificate of Field Verification and Diagnostic Testing

FI-3

Site Address	Builder Name
HERS Rater	PVID
Certifying Signature	Date

## HERS Rater Compliance Statement

As the HERS Rater providing diagnostic testing and field verification, I verify that the PV system on the house identified on this form complies with all applicable verification requirements as specified in the *New Solar Homes Partnership Guidebook, Tenth Edition*, Chapter VII

Climate Zone: 3  
 Array 1 Azimuth (degrees from North): 90  
 Array 2 Azimuth (degrees from North): 180  
 Array 3 Azimuth (degrees from North): 270

## Equipment Specifications

Equipment Type	CEC Certified Manufacturer Name and Model Number	Pass/Fail
Meter Must be built into inverter or on		<input type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Fail
Inverter Must be the same as listed on the FI-		<input type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Fail
PV Modules Must be the same as listed on the FI-		<input type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Fail

## PV Modules

## Shading

Array	Quantity	Minimally Shaded	Annual Solar Access <sup>2</sup>
#1			
#2			
#3			
Total			

## Field Measurements for Performance Verification

Measurement	Method Used	Value Measured	Pass/Fail
Ambient Temperature (°F)			<input type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Fail
Solar Irradiance, Array #1 (W/m <sup>2</sup> )			<input type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Fail
Solar Irradiance, Array #2 (W/m <sup>2</sup> )			<input type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Fail
Solar Irradiance, Array #3 (W/m <sup>2</sup> )			<input type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Fail

## Performance Verification

Line	Measurement	Method Used	Value	Pass/Fail
#1	Array #1 Expected Output from Field Verification Table (FVT) #1 (W) <sup>3</sup>			
#2	Array #2 Expected Output from Field Verification Table (FVT) #2 (W) <sup>4</sup>			
#3	Array #3 Expected Output from Field Verification Table (FVT) #3 (W) <sup>5</sup>			
#4	Total Expected Output (W)	Sum of Lines #1, #2, #3		
#5	Electric production (W) as shown on the inverter or performance meter display			Line #5 ≥ Line #4 <input type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Fail

1 An array is minimally shaded if each obstruction is at least twice as far from the array as the height it extends above the array

2 The annual solar access is calculated through the use of a solar assessment tool. If minimally shaded, enter 100%

3,4,5 Use the applicable irradiance from the field measurements table along with the ambient temperature. Use the FVTs from the applicable FI-1